

Advanced Development of Chem-Bio Medical Countermeasures for the DoD

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Agenda

- **Organization**
 - **ChemBio Defense Program**
 - **Chemical Biological Medical Systems (CBMS)**
- **Challenges in DoD Medical CBD Acquisition**
- **Joint Vaccine Acquisition Program (JVAP)**
- **Medical Identification and Treatment Systems (MITS)**
- **Conclusion**

Chem/Bio Defense Program Acquisition Organization



Requirements

**Joint Requirements
Office
J-8**

**Defense Acquisition
Executive
(USD-ATL)**

**Army Acquisition
Executive
(ASA-ALT)**

**Joint Program
Executive
Officer**

**Joint Program
Managers**

OSD Oversight

ATSD (NCB)

DATSD (CBD)

Science & Technology

**Defense Threat
Reduction Agency -
Chem/Bio Def Directorate**

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Countering the Threat: System of Systems Approach



Sustained Combat Power



Medical Pretreatment



Individual & Collective Protection



**Contamination Avoidance
& NBC Battle Management
(Detection, Identification,
Reconnaissance & Warning)**



**Installation Force
Protection**



Medical Treatment



**Decontamination,
Restoration**

**Joint Program Executive Officer -
Chem Bio Defense
(JPEO-CBD)**

**Chemical Biological
Medical Systems
(CBMS)**

**Joint Vaccine
Acquisition Program
(JVAP)**

**Medical Identification
& Treatment Systems
(MITS)**

CBMS Mission



Develop, procure, field, and sustain premier medical protection and treatment capabilities against chemical and biological warfare agents.

Challenges in DoD Medical Product Development



- **FDA laws apply to all including DoD**



- **Meet prioritized warfighter needs within available resources**
- **Prove efficacy of Chem/Bio Defense medical products**

JVAP Mission

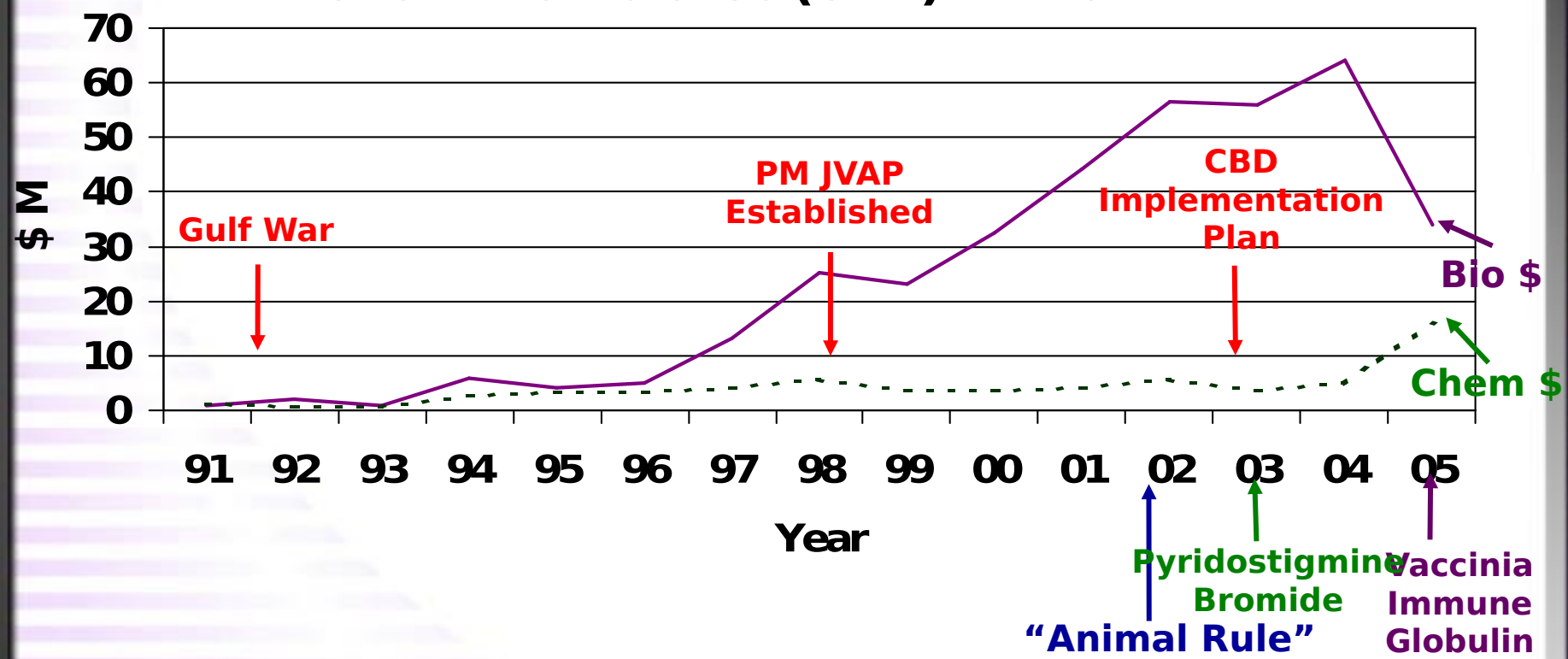
Aggressively develop, produce, and stockpile FDA licensed vaccine systems to protect the Warfighter from biological agents.



Medical Countermeasures Responding to Warfighter Needs



Advanced Development Medical Chem-Bio Defense (CBD) RDT&E



- Industry clinical trial development phase averages 6+ years
- Vaccine Prime Systems Contract (PSC) is 6 years old

Medical Acquisition Strategy



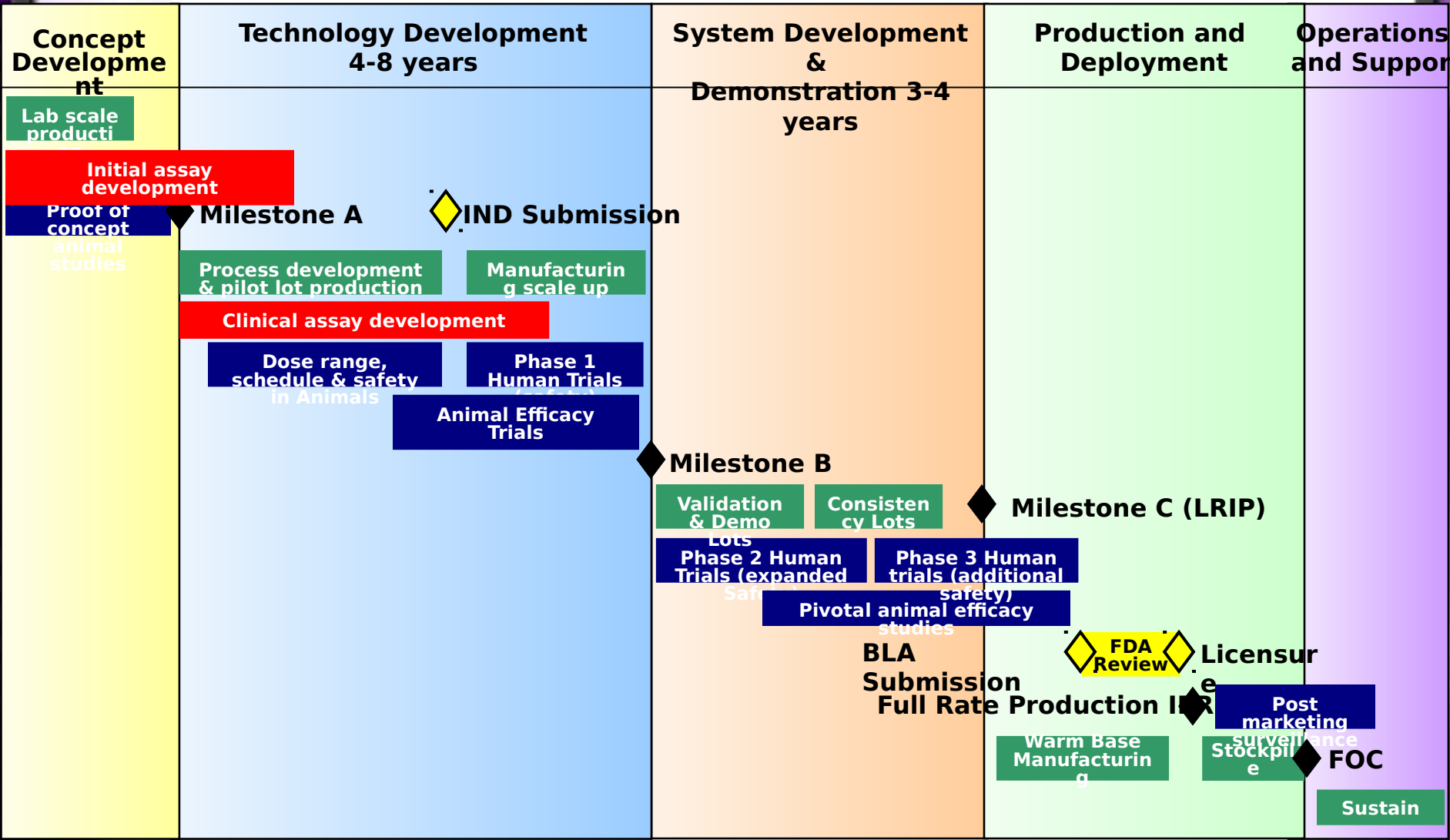
- **Addresses user requirements based on Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff priorities**
- **Develops FDA licensed chemical and biological defense (CBD) medical products**
- **Leverages international partnerships, other government agencies, and industry**
- **Manages product line within available resources**
 - **Funds product development efforts to minimize schedules**
 - **Expands or contracts product line based on available funding**

DoD and FDA Process Integration



- **FDA process drives cost, schedule and performance**
- **DoD 5000 is tailorable; adjustments can and are made to accommodate the FDA process**
- **Medical corollaries exist for DoD 5000 TRLs**
- **Evolutionary Acquisition is used when possible within the FDA process**
- **Technology Insertion discouraged by FDA process**
- **Requirements must define product performance parameters early (MS A)**

Integration of FDA Regulatory Process and DoD Acquisition Model for Vaccines



Industry Standard

- **Industry trend:**
 - **Clinical trial development times are increasing**
 - **4 yrs in early 1990's to 6+ years in early 2000's**
- **CBMS projected clinical trial development times are:**
 - **Botulism vaccine = 6 yrs (FDA Licensure: FY12)**
 - **Plague vaccine = 5 yrs (FDA Licensure: FY11)**
 - **Advanced Anticonvulsant System = 7 yrs (FDA Approval FY11)**
- **CBMS schedules are in line with industry standard**
- **CBMS continues to explore ways to shorten schedules**

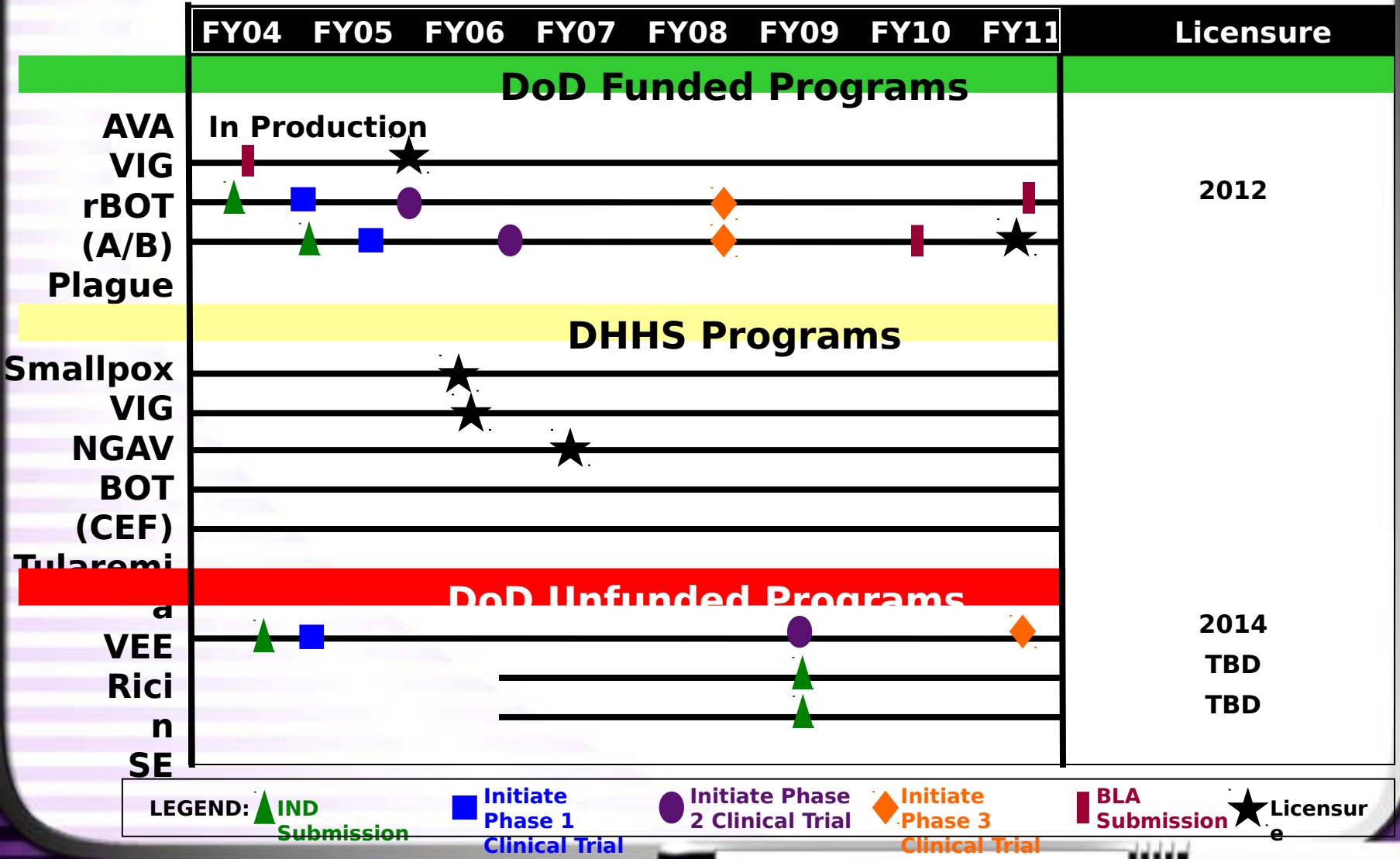
Interagency Challenges

- **Emphasis:**
 - **DoD = prevention; DHHS = treatment**
- **Impact of BioShield funding to be determined**
- **Leveraging DHHS efforts that are:**
 - **focused on FDA *licensure***
 - **meet *warfighter requirements***
- **DoD-DHHS: No significant gaps; some overlap; some complementary programs**

Meeting Warfighter Needs

<i>Vaccine</i>	<i>DoD</i>	<i>DHHS</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Anthrax	X	X	AVA; DHHS developing follow-on
Botulinum Toxin	X	X	DHHS leveraging DoD program
Smallpox	X	X	DoD: VIG; DHHS: Vaccine & VIG
Plague	X	X	DoD is lead program
Ricin Toxin	X		Adv Dev ca. FY06
Encephalitis Virus	X	X	DoD: VEE; DHHS far from adv dev
Tularemia	X	X	DoD hand off to DHHS for FY04
Staph Enterotoxin	X		Adv Dev ca. FY06
Brucella	X		Adv Dev ca. FY07-08
Ebola / Marburg	X	X	Adv Dev ca. FY10

JVAP: Meeting Warfighter Needs



Develop and acquire safe, effective, and FDA-approved products for prophylaxis, treatment, and diagnosis of chemical and biological warfare agent exposure.



FDA Approved

- **M291** Skin Decontaminating Kit
- **RSDL** - Reactive Skin Decontamination Lotion
- **CANA** - Convulsant Antidote Nerve Agent
- **MANAA** - Medical Aerosolized Nerve Agent Antidote
- **Sodium Thiosulfate** for Cyanide Poisoning
- **SERPACWA** - Skin Exposure Reduction Paste Against Chemical Warfare Agents
- **ATNAA** - Antidote Treatment, Nerve Agent Autoinjector
- **SNAPP** - Soman Nerve Agent Pretreatment Pyridostigmine

Chemical Defense Medical Products



Upcoming Products

- **AAS** - Advanced Anticonvulsant System : replaces CANA (diazepam) with midazolam - more effective for seizures
(MS B - FY04)
- **Next Generation Oxime**: The Improved Nerve Agent Treatment System (INATS) using a new oxime will replace 2 PAM - more effective against Non-Traditional Agents (NTAs)
(MS A - FY04; MS B - FY06)
- **BioScavenger** - Recombinant Butrylcholinesterase
(MS A - FY07)

- **Joint Biological Agent Identification and Diagnostic System (JBAIDS)**
 - **Portable platform for BWA detection and diagnosis (FDA)**
- **Critical Reagents Program (CRP)**
 - **Provides quality antigen-antibody and PCR reagents to support different BWA detector platforms**

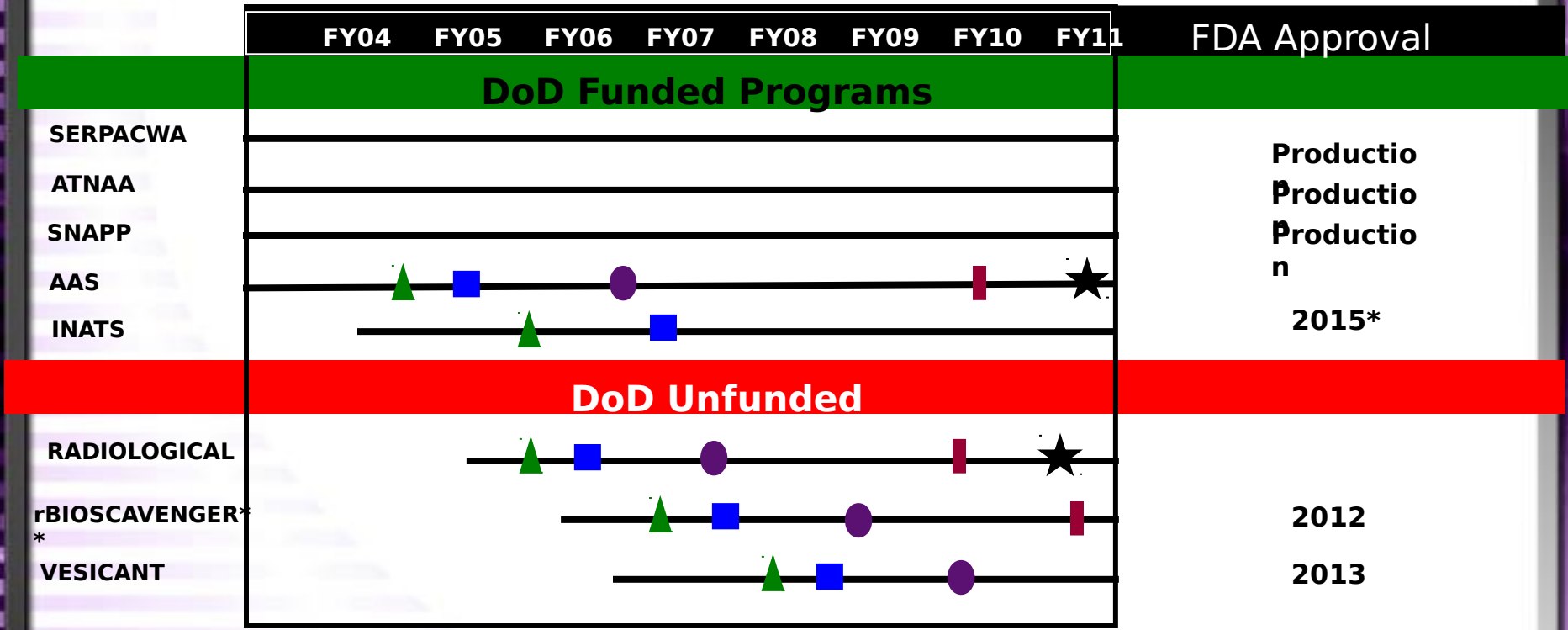
Joint Biological Agent Identification and Diagnostic System (JBAIDS)



- **PCR medical diagnostic system:**
 - **Spiral Development: Detection to diagnostics**
 - **Environmental to clinical**
- **Government furnished agent targets and protocols**
- **ID in ≤ 60 minutes**
- **Portable and reusable**
- **Block upgrades:**
 - **Increase diagnostic capabilities**
 - **Reduce size and logistics tail**
 - **Tie into electronic medical reporting systems**



MITS: Meeting Warfighter Needs



LEGEND: IND Submission Initiate Phase 1 Clinical Trial Initiate Phase 2 Clinical Trial NDA Submission FDA Approval

* UFR submitted that will accelerate FDA approval by four years

** Recombinant BioScavenger

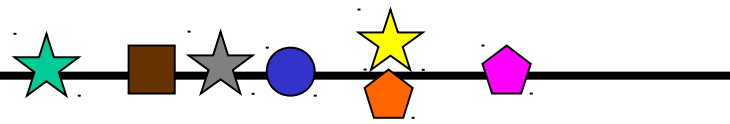
MITs: Meeting Warfighter Needs



FY04 FY05 FY06 FY07 FY08 FY09 FY10 FY11 FY12 FY13 FY14

DoD Funded Programs

JBAIDS BLOCK I



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DoD Unfunded

JBAIDS BLOCK II



- LEGEND:**
- Milestone B (Green Star)
 - Developmental Test (Brown Square)
 - Operational Test (Blue Circle)
 - Initial Operational Capability (Orange Pentagon)
 - Full Rate Production Decision (Yellow Star)
 - Full Operational Capability (Pink Pentagon)
 - Milestone C (Grey Star)
 - System Development & Demonstration (Red Diamond)

DoD Medical Chem-Bio Achievements



FY99

- **Vaccinia Immune Globulin (VIG) Investigational New Drug (IND) application submitted to FDA**

FY00

- **Skin Exposure Reduction Paste Against Chemical Warfare Agents (SERPACWA) approved by FDA (U.S. Army Medical Research & Materiel Command product [USAMRMC])**



FY02

- **Smallpox vaccine IND submitted**
- **Bioport produces first Anthrax Vaccine Adsorbed (AVA) lot under new FDA license**
- **Smallpox Project Arrangement signed with Canada under CBR-MOU**
- **Antidote Treatment Nerve Agent Auto-injector (ATNAA) approved by FDA (USAMRMC product)**



DoD Medical Chem-Bio Achievements



FY03 (continued)

- Next Generation Anthrax Vaccine (NGAV) IND submitted
- Pyridostigmine bromide tablets approved by FDA - first product approved in U.S. under FDA "animal rule" (USAMRMC & CBMS)
- Joint Service Personnel/Skin Decontamination System (JSPDS) approved by FDA (=RSDL)
- Joint Biological Agent Identification and Diagnostic System (JBAIDS): COTS fly off accelerates evolutionary program



FY04

- New contract signed with Biopart for AVA
- Interagency agreement with DHHS and DHS on AVA

DoD Medical Chem-Bio Projections



FY04

- **Submission of VEE vaccine IND**
- **Submission of Recombinant Botulism (AB) vaccine IND**

FY05

- **FDA licensure of VIG**
- **Submission of Plague vaccine IND**
- **JBAIDS Initial Operational Capability**

Take Aways

- **CBMS program addressing DoD priority requirements**
 - **Focused on FDA licensure**
 - **Working within available resources**
 - **Leveraging Other Government Agencies and International partners**
- **CBMS acquisition strategy is in line with industry schedule standards for achieving medical product licensure**
- **DoD 5000 and FDA processes are integrated to achieve success**

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